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VIA ECF

Honorable George Jarrod Hazel United States District Court District of Maryland 6500 Cherrywood Lane Suite 445A Greenbelt, MD 20770

Re: Crystal Long v. Ability Recovery Services, LLC, et al.

United States District Court District of Maryland

Docket No.: 8:17-cv-01955-GJH

Our File No.: 41259.00105

Dear Judge Hazel:

We are counsel for Defendant, Ability Recovery Services, LLC ("ARS") in regard to the above-referenced matter. This letter is being submitted in response to a request from Ashley Migliore to outline the issues that are involved in an alleged discovery dispute that is being advanced by counsel for Plaintiff, Ingmar Goldson, Esq. regarding ARS' responses to Plaintiff's discovery requests. Although it is ARS' positions that the original and supplemental written discovery responses that it provided to counsel for Plaintiff were sufficient, we are submitting this letter to outline our continued efforts to provide counsel for Plaintiff with the information and documentation that he seeks in this matter regarding Plaintiff's claims pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1681, et seq.

On December 14, 2017 counsel for ARS provided counsel for Plaintiff with answers and objections to Plaintiff's Interrogatories, responses and objections to Plaintiff's Request for Production of Documents and Other Tangible Things and documents that were responsive to Plaintiff's Request for Production. Thereafter, counsel for ARS provided

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counsel for Plaintiff with additional documentation that came into their possession which was responsive to Plaintiff's Request for Production.

Although ARS' responses to Plaintiff's discovery requests were sufficient, on December 15, 2017 counsel for Plaintiff sent counsel for ARS a letter outlining various areas in ARS' discovery responses which counsel for Plaintiff believed were deficient. In response, on January 16, 2018 counsel for ARS provided counsel for Plaintiff with supplemental discovery responses and additional documentation in an effort to cure the alleged deficiencies that counsel for Plaintiff had with ARS' initial discovery responses.

Still not content with ARS' discovery responses, on January 16, 2018 counsel for Plaintiff sent counsel for ARS an email outlining additional areas in Plaintiff's discovery requests in which he was seeking information and documentation. Counsel for ARS promptly responded to counsel for Plaintiff's email, informing counsel for Plaintiff that counsel was continuing to work with ARS to obtain additional information, that ARS was standing by various objections in its responses and that ARS would not be removing redactions that were placed in a contract between ARS and co-Defendant, Pendrick Capital Partners II, LLC.

Regardless of counsel for ARS' continued efforts to work with counsel for Plaintiff to finalize written discovery in this matter, counsel for Plaintiff continues to waste time and resources on seeking information and documentation from ARS that is either irrelevant, objectionable or not available to ARS. Other than updating its answers to Interrogatories 8, 18 and 21, ARS has sufficiently responded to Plaintiff's Interrogatories and Request for Production of Documents and Other Tangible Things. As such, it is ARS' position that it has provided complete and sufficient responses to Plaintiff's discovery requests whereby Plaintiff should be precluded at this time from seeking any additional written discovery from ARS.

Ronald M. Metcho

Respectfully submitted

Enclosure

cc: Ingmar B. Goldson, Esq. (via ECF)